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A GREAT MANY NEW GOODS THAT PARTICULARLY COMMEND THEMSELVES TO THOSE IN SEARCH OF WEDDING PRESENTS!

We show you many goods not to be found elsewhere in this city, and at prices so much lower than you can buy them in larger cities, that you are sure to be pleased.

200 PAIRS OF BRACELETS!

New Styles, and will be sold cheap.

Our Store will be open until 8 o'clock p. m., and 9 o'clock Saturdays, from December 1st until after the holidays. Respectfully,

O. E. Curtis & Co.

Oct. 21 dwt

NEW FALL STOCK.

ABEL & LOCKE

ARE SELLING BETTER

BRUSSELS & INGRAIN CARPETS

THAN YOU EVER SAW FOR THE MONEY.

Their Store is Full of Novelties in the CARPET, WALL-PAPER and CURTAIN line.

Sept. 20 dwt

20 E. Main St., POWERS' BLOCK.

We are now located at the above number, where we cordially invite all our friends, customers and the public to call and inspect one of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks of DRY GOODS and MILLINERY in Central Illinois. Prompt attention, good goods and low prices characteristics of this Establishment. Respectfully,

S. G. HATCH & BRO.

Oct. 26 dwt

BIG SHOE STORE,

13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.

Wholesale and Retail Boots & Shoes.

LARGEST STOCK. LOWEST PRICES. BEST GOODS.

L. L. FERRISS & CO.,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

July 11, 1882-dwt

ATTENTION, ALL!

D. DUSTMAN,

FURNITURE DEALER

On the North Side of the City Park, is giving the

BEST FURNITURE

For the Least Money of Any House in Decatur. His Stock is all New. No Second-hand in Stock. Latest Styles Received Daily. Call and see him, and you cannot fail to be pleased with his goods and prices. 1015-1000

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.
For week, payable to Carrier, 15 Cts.
One year, in advance, \$7.00
Six Months, " 3.50
Three Months, " 1.75

TUESDAY EVENING, OCT. 31, 1882

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

25 STYLES silver-plated Napkin Rings, at E. D. Bartholomew & Co's.
Did you get a clunk of "Golden Seal" tobacco to-day?

One week from to-day and then comes the tug of war at the polls.

Border line play at the opera house to-night.

CALL at Niedermeyer's on the Mound, for choice family groceries.

ROLLER skating again to-night. Take it in.

THE ex-prisoners of war held a business meeting last night.

THE sale of Michael Eichinger's personal property is in progress to-day at his farm 3 1/2 miles southeast of the city. Mr. E. will remove to Decatur and reside here with his family.

PETER ULLMANN's grocery store is the place to leave your orders for hard and soft coal.

"Trix jolly" "Jollities" will capture a good crowd of amusement goers Friday night. Popular prices.

"Three Haines Bros." pianos sold by C. B. Prescott are the family favorites. You can get one on easy terms.

THERE are 27 people in the Buffalo Bill troupe. They are all guests at the St. Nicholas Hotel. The Indians are attired in border life costumes and have attracted much attention.

YOUNG men's meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening at 7:30 o'clock. All young men and strangers in our city are cordially invited to attend this important service. Come!

NOVELTIES in fancy colored Hemstitch Handkerchiefs at J. R. RACK & Co's. Oct. 25 dwt

THE ladies of the First M. E. Church will hold their annual fair and dinner on the 13th and 14th of December. 31-dwt

FUEL supply of Mr. Olive coal always on hand at Ed. Martin's. Oct. 24th

CHARLES GRUBER was discharged from custody last evening by Justice Lowry for want of prosecution. He was charged with assaulting a man named Richardson, who failed to put in an appearance.

CHURCHES left at Peter Ulrich's for coal and wood promptly attended to. [24-dwt]
LICENSEES to wed have been issued to James P. Henry and Mrs. Mary V. Borings, Decatur; Charles H. Mooney and Miss Lucy E. Foster, Blue Mound township; Henry Abernethy and Miss Lillie Bailey, Boody; and William Vincent and Miss Emma J. Toler, Decatur.

It is announced that Mr. Henry F. May, formerly a crozier in this city, is a candidate for the legislature on the Republican ticket in Kansas, in the district in which Dodge City is located. Mr. May was recently married.

THE prohibitionists at Blue Mound were addressed last night by Col. W. D. Wyatt, of Lincoln, who spoke there in place of Capt. Harts, who was advertised to fill the appointment. Col. Wyatt will speak at Cicero to-night.

CALL for Keck & Weigand's fine "Key-stone" nickel cigars and the celebrated "10-ers" when you want superb smokers. Oct. 25 dwt

THE ex-prisoners of war residing in this region anticipate a very large attendance of comrades at the National meeting to be held here on the 21st and 23rd of November. President Parvey, of the National association, will be in Decatur on those days, as will also President Lowdermilk, of the state association.

PATRONIZE home manufacture. Ask for Harry Miller's Pure Cream Caramels. For sale by all dealers. 27-dwt

THERE was a serious cutting affray at Mt. Auburn, in Christian county, on Sunday. Charles Lane slashed David Ham with a knife, and now Ham will probably die. During the melee Ed. Everett stabbed Oscar Ross, who attempted to part Lane and Ham. Officers from Christian county were here last night looking for Everett, who fled. They have gone to Macon in search of their man. Ross is not fatally injured.

FRESH oysters, celery and fish, received daily at Frank Hall's Oyster Bar, No. 39 North Main street. [Oct. 25-dwt]

A MEETING of those interested in the formation of a stock base ball company should be held at once. There is a healthy feeling among many lovers of the national game in Decatur to organize a club to play here next season that will hold its own with the league players. It will take a heap of money to keep such an enterprise afloat, but there will be lots of fun in it. And besides, if the club of professional players is formed, Decatur will be visited by clubs from Chicago, Springfield, St. Louis and other points during the next season.

Go to Peter Ulrich's and order your coal and wood. [24-dwt]

RADCLIFFE & BULLARD have arranged with Mr. H. C. Lintner for the use of his fine carriage for the winter, and they are now prepared to furnish three finely matched teams with carriages for weddings, parties, funerals, etc., at extortionary prices. Send in your orders by telephone or otherwise. Night calls at our place of business, south side of old square. We carry a full line of undertakers' goods at prices which defy competition.

A MEDICINE of real merit, prescribed by many leading physicians, and universally recommended by those who have used it, as a true tonic, is Brown's Iron Bitters. 27

THE ladies of the Methodist church at Elvin will give a sociable and festival on Wednesday evening, Nov. 1st, and they would be pleased to have all friends of the congregation attend on that occasion. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody. 30-dwt

Go to Dr. Thomas S. Hoskins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. 21-dwt

JUST RECEIVED—Finest line of Fancy Merino Hosiery to be found in the city, at J. R. RACK & Co's. Oct. 25-dwt

SHELLBARKER'S Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. Dec. 18-dwt

Opening State of the Season.
There was a crowd of ladies, gentlemen and children immense in size at the tabernacle on the occasion of the Van Allen opening roller skate and reception of the season. The tickets were sold by Mr. Frank Priest, and Will Leiby, Jr., received them at the door. The new hard pine floor, put down last week over the old one, is as smooth as a piece of ice. Mr. Van Allen, who is a gentleman of pleasing address, made many friends last night. He has managed rinks at Paris, and other places during past winters. Goodman's cornet band was present during the evening and discoursed excellent music. Among those who dashed around on the skates were Misses Sylvia Shaffer, Annie Burgess, Cora Rogers, Melbie Housman, Jennie Randolph, Adah Harlan, Gertrude Randolph, Eva Bixby, Annie Prather, Frank Curtis, Henry Elwood, Fritz Mueller, Tom Forbes, Prof. Richardson, Prof. Abbott, Clint. Brodus, Charles Housman, Ed. Dillehunt, Arthur McNabb, Arthur Race, and many others whose names cannot be recalled.

WALTER SMITH, who hails from Indiana, was before Justice Albert this forenoon charged with carrying a concealed weapon. He was fined \$10 and costs and paid nine dollars and sixty-five cents, leaving his grip as security for the balance of the fine. Last evening Smith pulled the gun out of his boot-leg with the evident intention of shooting Gus Woods, the barber, but a brother of Smith caught the sanguinary man's arm before the performing matinee could be commenced. The episode occurred on the levee.

Hoffman Again.
A committee of citizens from Holder was in the city on Saturday to employ attorneys for Zetta C. Robinson to defend the suit instituted against her by ex-Rev. H. O. Hoffman. A vigorous defense will be made and a prosecution for bastardy will be commenced against the plaintiff should he return to this state. As he has become a non-resident, the defendant can compel him to give security for the costs, which will no doubt be done. The plaintiff by bringing this suit invites an inspection of his character, and some developments may be expected for the committee who have taken in hand the defense have ample means to procure evidence and are disposed to spare neither time, labor or expense to make the trial thorough and to lay bare all the facts and circumstances connected with this matter.—Bloomington Pantagraph.

On Sunday last a lot of boys spent a portion of the day in damaging property at the new Fifth Ward school building. It appears that the boys got on top of the building and did about \$25 damages to the roof. The boys slid down the roof on pieces of board from which the nails had not been drawn, and the consequence was the tin is torn in places. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of the young vandals, who will be punished in due time.

counterfeits Captured.
Deputy U. S. Marshal Larson, on Saturday morning, brought to the city from Lincoln, Miss Lena A. Dilke and Buck Miller, two persons whom he had captured at that place for passing counterfeit silver dollars. They were both arraigned before Commissioner Bradford, and Miller was examined, the woman waiting that formally. In default of \$2,000 bail, they were each committed to jail to await the action of the Grand Jury at the next term of the District Court. Sheriff Gibson took charge of Miller, but Miss Dilke was returned to Lincoln. She charges Miller with having supplied her with "the queer" and persuading her to pass it, and she will be used as a witness against him when the case comes up for trial. Springfield Journal.

SPECIAL Attention is called to the card of M. Alahmiller & Co., which appears in to-day's paper. Mr. A., who called on us yesterday, has been in business in Mattson for many years, and has achieved quite a reputation as a dealer in the very finest class of ladies' costumes. He visits other cities for the purpose of taking orders, and the Terre Haute papers, particularly, speak in the most flattering terms of the tasteful and elegant robes which he has displayed in that city.

This morning Daniel Carroll was to have had a hearing on a charge of grand larceny, in a Justice's office. The charge was preferred by the complainant's father, Michael Carroll. The complainant failed to appear to prosecute, and the young man was discharged. He was given back the \$35.50 found upon his person yesterday.

THE regular meeting of the Decatur Shooting Club will be held to-morrow evening at the Funs gun shop. The club has received two challenges from neighboring gun clubs, and these communications, together with routine business, will be considered.

At Mattson to-morrow Mr. Wayne Wilson, of this city, and Miss Allie Dalton will be wedded. The attendants will be William Rawley, of Decatur, and Miss Marnie Jones, of Springfield.

A boy named George Maples, aged 14 years, fell off a wagon near the St. Louis bridge, this forenoon, and broke his left forearm. Doctor Weyl reset the broken member.

Don't Miss the Play.

Decatur lovers of music cannot afford to miss the latest in store for them at the opera house on Friday evening next, when the noted John A. Stevens comic opera company will appear in "Jolly Bachelors." Said the Pittsburgh Chronicle: "The 'Jolly Bachelors' is an evergreen performance. There is some splendid music. The dramatic element predominates throughout, and on this account the opera as a whole is pleasing. The best features perhaps were the minstrel in the first act, and the male chorus. The Tally-Ho song by Miss Winston is a gem in its way. The chorus is well trained, especially the female portion of it. The opera was well applauded and evidently pleased." Admission 50 and 75 cents; reserved seats, \$1.

Wanted.
A thoroughly competent dry goods salesman. Must be able to take care of stock and dress window. A man of steady habits and adequate capacity can secure a permanent situation. Address Lock Box 357, city. 30-dwt

Misses' and Children's Cloaks.
In almost unlimited variety, and we believe the best stock to select from of any house in the city. CHEAP STORE. Big 18. 27-dwt

LADIES' Kid Butte Boots, soft, light and comfortable. BARBER & BAKER'S. April 15-dwt

THE LINEN DUSTER BRIGADE.

Coming Down From Bloomington on Friday, 1,000 Strong.

There will be one of the grandest Republican demonstrations in Decatur on Friday evening next over witnessed in this part of the state. In connection with the grand Republican rally on that evening the celebrated Linen Duster Brigade, organized first in Bloomington in 1880 and reorganized again last week, will come down on a special train, and after marching through the streets will attend the meeting in a body. The visitors will be uniformed with linen dusters, straw hats, tucked up in three places, Continental style, and will carry torches if the weather is favorable. The brigade should receive large additions from among the young Republicans in Decatur. The meeting on Friday night will be addressed by able speakers.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Charles W. Challis will arrive here from Lafayette to-morrow.

Charles Deardorff will dispose of his \$55 gold watch at 50 cents a chance.

Lieut. Gov. Hamilton will speak at Danville this evening.

Mrs. Will Condell returned to St. Louis last evening, and to-day Mrs. Whitehill departed for Bloomington.

Miss Ella Shockey, of Ramsey, is in the city, and will remain here for an indefinite period.

Captain Rowell arrived in Decatur this forenoon, and paid us a call. He will speak at Niantic to-night, and at the court house in this city Friday evening.

Josh E. Ogden, he of the heavy auburn mustache, who represents the Buffalo Bill Combination, uttered words of wisdom in the REPUBLICAN sanctum this forenoon.

Harry Suar is a new salesman at Linn & Scruggs' store. He is moving his household effects to-day into the Scanlan property on South Water street, where he will reside with his family.

John Epler, lately a conductor on a railway from St. Louis to Vincennes, Indiana, has located in Decatur with his family. He resides near the corner of Clinton and Orchard streets.

Douglas Abbott, while skating with a lady at the tank rink last night tripped and fell. He was stunned by the fall, and had to be carried out upon the pavement where he could get sufficient air. He soon recovered.

Merritt M. Strader was the leader of the talented double quartette choir at the S. S. convention at the First M. E. Church Sunday evening. The choir was made up of selected voices from the different church choirs in the city, and rendered excellent music.

Mrs. D. H. Harts, of Lincoln, wife of the prohibition candidate for congress, in this district, made an unfortunate mistake the other night which caused her a sleepless night and hours of pain. She was using carbolic acid to remove stains from a carpet, and when through with it placed the bottle in the bath room. Previous to retiring she had used for glycerine, and through mistake took hold of the wrong bottle. The mistake was not discovered until her face began to smart and burn. She suffered intensely for a long time.

Special Invitation to the Ladies of Decatur.
We shall be at the New Deming hotel from Thursday afternoon at four o'clock until Friday night, Nov. 3rd, with a display of ladies' artistic designed costumes, including an elegant one valued at \$275. We are prepared to take orders for all kinds of costumes. Mrs. Ayer, whose skill is unsurpassed, will fit ladies who may favor us with their orders, at once. Will give best of references.

M. ATASULER & Co.,
Oct. 31-43. Mattson, Ill.

Charlotte Thompson.
This talented actress will appear at the opera house on Friday evening, Nov. 10, in "The New Jane Eyre," her greatest achievement, supported by a powerful dramatic combination. The following correspondence of interest explains itself:

DECATUR, ILL., Oct. 30, 1882.
WILLIAM W. KELLY, Esq., Manager Charlotte Thompson Co.—DEAR SIR: Learning that the talented artist who you represent, contented herself with Decatur, I am writing to you, through you, an invitation to appear at the opera house, for the benefit of the Decatur Rifles. Believing that arrangements can be made, and that Miss Thompson's reputation, aided by the efforts of our organization, will result in one of the most successful seasons of the season, we await your reply. Respectfully,
H. J. EDWARDS,
WM. C. ANDERSON,
Committee.

DECATUR, ILL., Oct. 30, 1882.
MESSRS. HARKER, EDWARDS and ANDERSON: Your selection of this date is at hand, and in reply would say that I take great pleasure in complying on behalf of Miss Thompson with your request and would therefore name Friday evening, Nov. 10th, at the Opera House, as the time and place most convenient and profitable for the ladies of Decatur to see the "New Jane Eyre," as the attraction to be presented. Trusting your organization will be a most substantial benefit, and with the assurance that the entertainment will prove one of the best of the season, I am, Sir, very respectfully,
WM. W. KELLY.

Facts and Fancies from Forsyth.
Decoration Day was well observed in our school; the many visitors were well pleased with the decorations, and were also highly entertained with the afternoon's programme. We hear good reports from the Flood School, and also the Seabarger School; however, as they both have such excellent teachers it could not be other than a success.

The Sabbath School at this place is flourishing. The patrons of the school decided to hold monthly concerts to further the interest in the school, and on last evening the first one was held, and we think it was in every way a success. We could not help noticing how nicely all behaved. The programme being short, the large audience did not seem to tire; therefore we shall hope to see them again. We think such occasions are very pleasant; it is not only an enjoyment to the children, but an improvement, and we certainly think the parents ought to appreciate the school and be present more often than—occasionally.

While writing in our diary to-day we put last Saturday down as a "rainy day," and added Longfellow's version:

"The day is cold and dark and dreary;
It rains, and the wind is never weary;
The street still eludes the moldering wall,
But at every gust the dead leaves fall,
And the day itself does despair."

Miss Lillie Demit was the guest of Miss Laura B. Plank yesterday.

FOURTH, Oct. 30.

Seven-Hook Kid Gloves,
The best \$1.50 glove in any market, in black and shades, at One Dollar a pair. Big 18. CHEAP STORE. 27-dwt

Married.
The Valley Falls (Kansas) Register, of Oct. 27th, contains the following of interest to the friends and acquaintances of Mr. A. A. Murray and family, who formerly resided in Decatur:
MARRIED.—At the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Robert Kilgus, Oct. 25, 1882, Mr. GEORGE W. LITTLE, of Fort Collins, Colorado, and Miss HELEN A. MURRAY.

Miss Nellie, as she was familiarly known, was one of the most estimable young ladies in this vicinity, and Mr. Little is a prosperous, wide-awake farmer of his state, and their union seems to be the glad fruition of true and earnest hearts; their many friends wish them all happiness on the voyage of life. The happy couple left for their Colorado home at noon, Wednesday. The Register, in extending congratulations is thankful for a generous portion of the excellent wedding cake.

No Meeting To-Morrow Night.

Owing to other engagements of Capt. Rowell, it has been decided to withdraw his appointment for the court house to-morrow night. The people of Decatur and Macon county, however, will be regaled with something novel on Friday night, on the occasion of the visit of the Linen Duster Brigade from Bloomington. Further particulars will be given to-morrow.

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE BUFFALO BILL TO-NIGHT.

The noted scout and guide, Buffalo Bill, will appear at the opera house to-night, in his new play, entitled "20 Days, or Buffalo Bill's Pledge." This is pronounced his very best play, and as he carries a large company, consisting of twenty-five artists, he never fails to present it in the best manner. Many people who have never seen him, think that Buffalo Bill is a "cracker" and "scene chaser," but if they will go to the opera house this evening they will discover their mistake, for he is one of the most natural actors upon the boards, appearing simply in the character he has all his life personated in every day life while out upon the frontier. He is a polished gentleman in his intercourse with the public, and is an agreeable surprise to all who make his acquaintance. He never fails to draw large audiences, because he invariably gives a good show. His ride shooting is alone worth the admission fee. By all means go to the opera house to-night if you want to be amused.

Buffalo Bill and the Indian portion of his troupe, dressed in Indian costume, paraded the principal streets on horseback to-day at noon, led by a full brass band.

Rowell's Triumphant Tour in De Witt.
Captain J. H. Rowell, who was engaged in looking after his political fences in De Witt county night last week, finished up Saturday night at Wayneville, where he was enthusiastically received, as well as at all other points in the county. At Kinney, on Friday night, he had a magnificent crowd out to hear him, and the meeting was most enthusiastic and was the largest crowd that has ever turned out to any political meeting in that thrifty little village. At Waynesville he was also received with the same interest that he has met with in every town, and De Witt Republicans wage that he will carry the county by a much larger majority than any of his predecessors. Stevenson and his crooked blanket arguments don't take in De Witt, and the laborers especially do not take up with his ideas of free trade. With county is in a bad fix, and there is not much doubt that the Republicans will come out with every elective office in the county. Bloomington Pantagraph.

MARRIED.
In this city, at the residence of the bride's parents on North Church street, on Monday evening, Oct. 30th, 1882, by J. M. Lowry, J. P., Mr. WILLIAM VASACKER and Miss EMMA J. TOLAN, both of Decatur.

DIED.

In this city, on Monday evening, Oct. 30, 1882, of membranous croup, after an illness of three days, GRACE TRICKER, aged three years, daughter of Joseph and Mary A. RICKERTS.

The funeral will take place from the family residence, corner North Main and William streets, to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. P. Dinmitt officiating. At Walker Station, on Oct. 30, Mrs. ANNE GANDY, wife of Henry Gregory, aged 22 years.

The remains will be expressed to Springfield, where the funeral will take place to-morrow.

In this city, on Oct. 31, 1882, of pueral sore throat, BOYD CHATFIELD, aged 4 months, son of John and Eliza Chatfield.

The funeral will take place from the family residence in the second ward this afternoon at four o'clock. The remains will be interred in Greenwood cemetery.

Great Old Boom.

E. Balch, Elgin, Ill., writes: "That after trying dozens of patent liniments, I feel I have 'struck oil at last,' for after using three bottles of TIGER BALM, Decatur, Ill., I am prepared to say it is the best application I have ever used."

I. O. O. F. Oyster Supper and Festival.
The Odd Fellows of Argenta, Ill., will give an oyster supper and festival on Friday evening, Nov. 3, 1882, for the benefit of their order. All Odd Fellows are invited, with the general public. This is the occasion of the institution of Argenta Lodge of Odd Fellows. All Odd Fellows are respectfully invited to bring baskets of eatables for the occasion. Supper commencing to be served at 6 p. m., will necessitate your early attendance. Supper 25c for all. By order of

dwt COMMITTEE.

Notice.
The undersigned banks and bankers of Decatur, Illinois, will close at 3 o'clock p. m., instead of 4, on and after Nov. 1, 1882.

J. MILLER & Co.
PEDDICOORD, BURROWS & Co.
THE DECATUR NATIONAL BANK.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at Walter A. Armstrong's Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. To-day.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.
WHEAT—49½ Nov; 50½ Dec; Jan; 51½.
CORN—40½ Nov; Dec; 41½ Jan; 42½ Feb.
OATS—33½ Nov; Dec; 34½ Jan; 35½ Feb.
RICE—19½ Nov; Dec; 20½ Jan; 21½ Feb.
LARD—11½ Nov; Dec; 12½ Jan; 13½ Feb.
HOGS—Estimated receipts, 15,000; shipments, 1,800; live hogs, \$4.50; mixed, \$4.00; \$7.30; heavy, \$7.30; light, \$7.30; cattle receipts, 2,200; shipments, 1,200.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.

WHEAT—\$1.06 Nov; \$1.04 Dec; \$1.11 Jan; \$1.08 Feb.
CORN—80 Nov; 72 Dec; 67 Jan; 72 Feb.

TOLEDO, Oct. 31.

WHEAT—97½ Oct; 97½ Nov; 98½ Dec; \$1.00½ Jan, 97½ Feb.
CORN—70½ Oct; 69½ Nov; 53½ Dec; 60½ Jan; 57½ Feb.

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DRY GOODS,

Oil Cloths, Window Shades, Upholstery and Lambrequin Materials, Matting, Lace Curtains, Wall Paper, and CARPETS.

NEW, ELEGANT AND ATTRACTIVE

FOREIGN DRESS GOODS,

Silk and Cloth Wraps, Silk Plushes & Velvets.

The Largest, Cheapest and Best Assortment of HOSIERY, GLOVES AND CORSETS IN THIS MARKET.

Ladies' Children's and Gent's Underwear. Fancy Goods, Ribbons and Dress Trimmings. Flannels, Yarns and Blankets. Cassimeres, Denims and Cheviots. Calicoes, Bleached and Brown Muslins, Tickings, Table Linens, Towels, Napkins and Housekeeping Goods of every description.

BE CAREFUL TO NOTE THE FACT that we sell MORE GOODS than any house in the United States according to population, which plainly indicates that the PEOPLE fully appreciate the advantages offered by us, in variety, quality and cheapness of our goods.

Linn & Scruggs,

AGENTS FOR BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.

Decatur, September 22, 1882. dwt

Decatur's One-Price CLOTHING

AND Merchant Tailoring Establishment, CORNER OF OLD SQUARE.

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One must either be

HAMMER OR ANVIL

Which means one must either

PUSH OR BE PUSHED.

We intend to be

HAMMER AND PUSH

Our stock this year will be such that the

Stylos and Quality of Our Goods will be

The Climax of What is Good and Nobby.

Our New Stock of

CLOTHING

for Man, Boy or Child will be the largest we ever have shown and is in course of being shipped now. Our new assortment of

HATS has ARRIVED

And is the noblest in the Land. An inspection is solicited.

Yes, I am